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Thunder showers tonight and
Thursday.

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ENG RACES ARE ON IN EARNEST NOW AND WILL CONTINUE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

TUESDAY'S PROGRAMME EXECUTED

Although there were two showers of rain Thursday afternoon the execution of the race program began in earnest at the new fair grounds. The track was in fair condition, considering the fact that so much rain had fallen since the big fair began, but the racers performed well under the circumstances.

The best of news was given out from the track this afternoon when the management announced that the racing would be carried over to and including Saturday.

Tuesday's card is being run today while the Thursday card will be run on Saturday. On account of the condition of the track the 2:15 pace will be raced on Friday.

The second heat of the 2:24 trot was put on directly after dinner today and Carrietta finished first with Sister Ada a close second. On account of the going it would seem that Carrietta was the favorite. Sister Ada has finished second in both heats. The time today was 2:28 1-4.

The horse show is one of the best features of the fair, the exhibits being far above the average and showing advanced strides in this respect.

In the match team class Walter Sedwick won first prize and J. E. Williams second.

Of the standard breds W. B. Maxwell's mare with colt by side carried off first prize and Dr. T. E. Gore's Directorine got second.

Walter Sedwick was first with coach horses and J. E. Williams second.

Of the farm class the city team in charge of Buffalo Frush and Street Superintendent E. J. Doyle won first prize, \$15, and the money goes to the city. A Mr. Cottrill got second.

Of standard bred stallions with get by side Dr. Matt Holt had the only entries, being in position to defy any and all competition and carried off all the prizes. None in this section have as good a stallion in the standard bred class.

In the light harness class Dr. Luther Hammond's driving mare, Miss M. L., won easily over half a dozen splendid competitors. She is an exceptionally fine driver and really outclassed the other entries. Fleming Holden's horse got second premium.

Three horses were entered in the saddle horse competition. But while the number was small the horses entered were of the best class and the contest for the premiums was very interesting. Alvin Bassel, of Clarksburg, entered two horses and Arthur Parsons, also of Clarksburg, entered one horse. First prize was won by a bay horse belonging to Alvin Bassel and second by an iron gray belonging to Arthur Parsons. The bay horse winning the first prize is one of the finest animals in the State and he gave an exhibition of high schooling never equalled by the finest trained horses seen in the best circuits.

The trial was held on the race track in front of the grand stand and when the bay appeared he melted on the course to receive his rider and after being put through his many paces he was made to wait to the music of the band and animal kept excellent time with his almost human intelligence.

When his rider dropped his handkerchief the horse at once picked it up and presented it to its rider. The judge in awarding him the blue ribbon presented the ticket to the horse and the animal took it in his mouth and carried it proudly past the grand stand. Once past the grand stand, however, the horse threw his heels into the air and galloped away to the stables.

GOLDEN SEAL RENDERS PROGRAM

Clarksburg Camp No. 350, Order of the Golden Seal, held an open meeting in the Odd Fellows hall last evening. A large crowd was in attendance in spite of the inclement weather. The following program was rendered: Opening address by the chairman, Dr. W. A. Fletcher; piano solo, "Shadows on the Water," Miss Willa Waldo; vocal solo, "Asleep On the Deep," Charles Tutwiler; recitation, "A Visit to the Old Home," Upton T. Rainbow; vocal solo, "Sing Me To Sleep," Miss Willa Waldo; vocal solo, "O Promise Me," Charles Tutwiler; recitation, "The Sailor's Bow," Upton T. Rainbow; comic solo, "Where I've Been," Charles Tutwiler; recitation, "The Bridge-keeper's Story," Upton T. Rainbow; debate, Resolved that man will do more for love of money than for love of woman; affirmative Frank Rhodes; negative, Upton T. Rainbow. Short addresses were made by Fred A. McFarlin and Dan S. Cain, of Adamston camp, and were much enjoyed. The baritone solos of Charles Tutwiler were exceptionally fine and were repeatedly encored, thus testifying to the popularity of this talented singer. The instrumental and vocal solos of Miss Willa Waldo were most favorably received and heartily applauded. Lawyer Frank Rhodes displayed great oratorical powers and lofty flights of imagination in his description of man's love for money. Wilsonbury lodge of Rebekahs attended in a body, with Mrs. Baker, noble grand, and Simeon L. Schrader, charge. Visitors were present from Chieftain, O'Neil, Wilsonburg and Adamston.

PLUES ASKS FOR PARDON

Congressman B. B. Dovener, of Wheeling, spent Thursday in the city looking after the interests of Clyde W. Plues, who has applied for a pardon from the penitentiary. Captain Dovener is his attorney. Plues was 21 years old last January. He is a son of an old soldier and his parents are poor.

In the fall of 1905 he was employed on the structural iron work of the Schmulbach building, in Wheeling, but the contractors ran short of iron and Plues was one of the number laid off on that account. He had been supporting his parents and had but little ready money. He had heard about the Empire building here and came here to get work on it. Upon his arrival he had but two dollars and slept that night at the depot. Getting a cheap breakfast next morning he applied for work but failed. Then he went to the Adamston glass factory and applied there. He was offered work but not at wages sufficient to pay his board and keep his parents. Then he went down the river and applied for work as a driver in a coal mine. He was offered a job but had not money enough to purchase an outfit and desiring the place only temporarily until he could get something better he did not feel like incurring a debt for an outfit. So he came back toward the city and met Charlie Moore and others of a gang of thieves and burglars and they invited him to their camp, and that night they all boarded a railroad train and before he knew it, the others had held up the train and were robbing it. They tossed him a bundle, which proved to be a suit of clothes. Here is where he was tempted as he sold the suit he had on to an Italian for \$4 and kept the stolen suit and as soon as he got the \$4 he bought a ticket and returned to his home in Wheeling, where he was arrested afterward and brought here for trial at the September term of the circuit court in 1905 and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

Captain Dovener has a number of strong letters in the young man's behalf, which he is confident will have great weight with the governor.

COUNTY COURT HAS ADJOURNED

The county court adjourned the term Thursday afternoon. It had been in session ever since the first part of June and was one of the longest terms on record.

The court completed the trying of the levy. The county levy is 10 cents and the district levies are Coal 6 cents, Clay 10, Eagle 12 1-2, Ten-mile 12 1-2, Simpson 13 1-2, Elk 12 1-2, Clark 12 1-2, Union 10, Sardis 8 1-3 and Grant 10 cents.

The M. P. Thompson road in Ten-mile district was ordered established.

A bridge was ordered built at Bridgeport.

W. G. Plant was exonerated from the payment of taxes on \$25 valuation for the past four years.

An exoneration of taxes was allowed Sands & Hornor.

The whiskey license of John D. Wentz was transferred to George W. Wachon.

The Grand Army Post was given permission to move the Spanish cannon to the court house yard.

The Shinnston Light & Water Company was granted right of way for a line from the corporate limits of the town of Shinnston to the residence of C. L. Lyon.

A road was established through lands of J. M. and H. Coburn.

Cecil B. Highland was appointed administrator de bonis non of L. L. Highland, deceased, taking the place of Jesse Highland, deceased.

POLICE CATCH MAN AND WOMAN

The mayor had a case of assembling for the purpose of prostitution this morning in police court. The principals were Charles Whitman and Mrs. C. M. Westfall.

This seems to have been Whitman's first break, but Mrs. Westfall has figured prominently in police and magistrate's courts in this city recently and her husband on the stand stated that her reputation was very bad. The Westfalls who reside on Ferry street, West End, have had numerous family battles and last night about 9 o'clock Westfall is said to have wallowed her good with a chair. She then came up town and he followed. He finally located her in the rear of Pat Glaney's saloon at Fourth and Pike, but was refused admittance, although he claims he saw her and a man in the room drinking. He was ordered out and later saw his wife come out closely followed by the man Whitman. He followed the pair up Pike street and finding Officers Whyte and Lewis standing at Third street, asked them to watch his wife. The officers accompanied by Westfall trailed along and saw the pair go out East Pike to Oak and then turn south to Pike.

Once in a dark spot the followers saw him place his arm around her waist. The couple then went out Buckhannon street nearly to Dublin bridge and there they were arrested.

The woman claimed on the stand and said she could prove it, that Whitman, whom she had never seen before, approached her after her husband was ejected from Glaney's and claimed that he was a detective and exhibited a badge to substantiate his claim.

He said it was his business to take care of women so he went along. The mayor decided that both were guilty of the charge and fined them each \$20.00 and costs and in default of payment she was sent to jail for twenty days, while he is trying mighty hard to raise the money. Whitman is a married man.

MOVING PICTURES REAPPEAR FRIDAY

The season at the new Grand opera house opened favorably last night. A good patronage was shown and the house was well satisfied with the production all present enjoying it very much.

Moving pictures showing the scenes of the San Francisco earthquake and great fire were produced. They were absolutely perfect and the audience was greatly instructed and interested. They never saw anything like it before and are anxious to see the pictures again. The machine was in perfect running order and portrayed the scenes very brilliantly.

Miss Buckley's singing was especially good and much appreciated. She is an accomplished vocalist. A feature of the evening's entertainment, which won the admiration of all, was that part of the program executed by Miss LaCarnella, contortionist.

So successful was the reception of the performance that it will appear again Friday night at popular prices 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents, and doubtless the attendance will be still larger.

FOOD SUPPLIES CUT OFF

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—A strike of several hundred men as deckhands, oilers and firemen on the railroad tugboats in this harbor tied up the railroad tugboat fleet today. This in turn prevented the movement of a large amount of freight from the railroad terminals in Jersey City to this city. Should the strike be prolonged it is expected hundreds of carloads of food supplies for this city will be tied up.

It is estimated that not more than a third of the freight arriving at the railroad terminals was moved across the harbor today and that many carloads of perishable goods and vegetables are stalled at least temporarily in New Jersey, Staten Island and Port Morris, in the East river. In consequence local markets are short of supplies.

ROBBERS GET GOLD COIN

(By Associated Press.)
MT. VERNON, O., Aug. 9.—Mrs. Matilda Foote, of Fredericktown, was robbed yesterday of \$3,500 in gold coin kept in a closet. She had drawn it from a bank to pay for her home. The money was taken while she was in Mt. Vernon securing a deed. Her aged mother in the house saw no thief. Bloodhounds tracked the robbers to the railroad where it is supposed they boarded a train.

DESPERADO HOLDS POSSE AT BAY

(By Associated Press.)
MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Aug. 9.—Frank Ball, a Kentucky desperado, is surrounded at his brother's home at Rose Hill, Va., thirty miles from Middlesboro by Sheriff Johnson and a posse of Kentucky officers. He refuses to surrender. Sheriff Johnson telegraphed for the Middlesboro military company. The men were sent to Rose Hill this afternoon. Ball is wanted for killing Jack Broten, of Middlesboro. He has a number of friends with him.

CRAZY MAN'S AWFUL ACT

(By Associated Press.)
CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 9.—Thomas F. Kenna, a waiter at the Grand hotel threw a three-year-old child from a third-story window of his home here today and then jumped from a window to the sidewalk below. The child was instantly killed. Kenna died on the way to the hospital. Kenna is believed to have been mentally deranged.

"BLACK BOY" STOLE CLOTHES

Jim Haskins alias "Black Boy," stole a suit of clothes from the restaurant of William Burke, also colored, in Glen Elk last Friday night. A warrant was issued but "Black Boy" could not be found. However Mayor McClung had given him a sentence of twenty-four days on the streets of Grafton for failure to pay a fine assessed because the negro had been caught in a raid there and he brought him down and turned him over to Squire Gordon today. He will get a hearing this afternoon.

FATHER CAUSED HIM TO KILL

(By Associated Press.)
FREDERICK, Md., Aug. 9.—At the command of his father, Fred Debold, aged 17, shot and killed George Smith, son of their neighbor, near here last evening. There was bad feeling between the two families. Both Debolds were arrested.

POPE SUFFERS HEART ATTACK

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Aug. 9.—A dispatch from Rome says shortly after his return from the ceremony attending the celebration today of the third anniversary of his coronation, the Pope suffered a severe attack of heart weakness. He was attended by Dr. Lapponi, who gave him relief.

ENGINE RUNS INTO EXPRESS

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 9.—A Baltimore & Ohio engine, running light, crashed into the rear of a New York and Chicago express east-bound near Lodi, Ohio, today. A C. Evert, fireman, of Pittsburgh, was killed and G. L. A. Fever, engineer, of Pittsburgh, slightly hurt. None of the passengers or crew of the express were injured.

At The Odeon

The Odeon has two of the most exciting pictures ever shown here entitled "Motor Car Highways" and "The Slide for Life." They have to deal with the story of a burglar who hides in a Turkish bath. The lady turns the steam on and he runs. She lets the dog loose and they slide down a line to the ground, where the neighbors take a whack at him. The price of admission is 5 cents.

Fete Postponed

Owing to rainy weather the lawn fete that the ladies of the First Presbyterian church were to hold tonight at the home of Mrs. G. W. Shuttlesworth, 275 Clay street, has been postponed until Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Y. P. S. C. E.

Baptist Christian Endeavor Society will meet on Friday night. Miss Carrie Stout is the leader and the topic is one of special helpfulness of well studied—"My favorite parable, and how it helps me." Matt. 13:10-17; Psalm 119:97-114. The prayer meeting last week was one of the best in months. Shall we not bring our best thought and preparation this week? Visitors cordially welcomed.

Compromised Case

When Tom Harris was arrested Saturday night for biting a section of thumb from the hand of Albert Spelsberg in Pat McDonnell's saloon all thought that Tom had a pretty serious charge to face. However, the two got together this morning and the case was compromised.

At The Bijou

The pictures at the Bijou this week are entitled "Hello, Grinder," "Haunted Musician" and "The Wig Chase." These pictures were run in Brooklyn last week and will please all who see them. Admission 5 cents. The management has opened up an up-to-date penny arcade. They have received \$1,500 worth more of machines in addition to what they had. The new machines give music while you look at the pictures. The pictures in the old machines have been changed. They solicit a share of your patronage.

TOM COTTINGHAM STARTED SOMETHING

W. D. Sheldon, the young man who was fined \$3.00 for sleeping in a B. & O. passenger coach last night, had a little arresting done himself today. Tom, commonly known as "Skunk" Cottingham, was the victim. Sheldon claims that he entered a Pike street saloon about noon and Tom took a poke at him. He did the same thing again on the street and again in a lunch counter. Sheldon then went before Squire Gordon and had a warrant issued.

SCHOOL BOARD LAYS ITS LEVY

The city school board has laid the annual levy at 10 cents for the teachers' fund and 12 cents for the building fund. The total tax in Clarksburg, including state, city, county and school is 69 1-2 cents on the hundred dollars valuation and any one who knows the total amount of his assessment can readily compute the amount of his taxes this year.

Attorney F. G. Viger is in Kessler hospital suffering from acute gastritis.